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TRY US.

We hear a great deal these days about what President Wilson will do and what he won't do. Of course I know just what, but my friends will not ask me to betray confidence.

OUR Republican neighbors view aghast and denounce with righteous fervor the doctrine, "to the victor belong the spoils." They are new converts to the theory that "his fitness which should hold the plume which for twenty years they gathered and enjoyed under the aegis of political ascendancy. And to their notion fitness and inness are synonymous qualifications.

Isn't it just a little singular as well as surprising for a bureau official to refuse to furnish information in his possession to a Congressional Committee? And isn't the complainant attorney-general altogether beyond good reason in advising such official to stand between the people and their right to know of matters pertaining to the public service? To me, that looks like placing the servant above and beyond the will of his master. It favors too much of the monarchical method of government and totally unskilled to a land where the people are held to be sovereign.

SOME very "dry" Missouri legislators have introduced into the House a bill throwing open to search warrant, in local option counties, houses suspected of containing more than two gallons of bourbon or rye. If I lived in such a county the searchers would have their trouble for their labor; but it is my inalienable right on any section of Columbia's soil, to possess a ten-gallon keg in peace and security. I holding a receipted bill for the liquor. The man who would deprive me of this right has no fit sense of the conditions which govern a free people, and, if there were enough of his kind, would make us slaves to his every "moral" whim.

A Faithful Public Servant.

The 24th Senatorial District is justly proud of its representative in the Upper House, Hon. Carter M. Buford. He has served and is serving his constituents with fidelity and ability. He never misses a roll-call and is untiring in his duties as committee man. With the purpose in view of giving credit where credit is due, it may be well to present a short review of his life and the work he has done and is accomplishing.

Senator Carter M. Buford, was born March 3d, 1878, at Ellington, Reynolds County, Mo., was educated in the common schools and at the Cape Girardeau Normal. Was elected County School Commissioner of Reynolds County in 1897 when only 21 years of age, which position he held one year, resigning to make the race for Circuit Clerk and Recorder. He was elected and re-elected, serving eight years. In 1906 he made the race for the State Senate in the 24th Senatorial District. Was elected, and in 1910 was re-elected to the State Senate and while a member of the 46th General Assembly was made chairman of many of the most important committees. After the State Capitol was destroyed by fire, occurring February 6th, 1911, he was made Chairman of the Senate Committee to prepare a meeting place for the Senate of the 47th General Assembly. Later a Committee was appointed from the House to prepare quarters for said body for the 47th General Assembly also. The Committee of the Senate and House organized in August, 1911, and Senator Buford was made chairman of the joint body. After making a tour of inspection of the buildings in Jefferson City it was found that a building large enough to accommodate the House and Senate would cost in the way of rent \$7,000 per year, and in addition to this the necessary committee rooms would have cost a further \$2,000 per year. It was found further that the minor state officers were at that time renting rooms in which to carry on their work at a rental cost to the state of \$3,000 per year. After due consideration the Committee decided that a temporary Capitol Building would be much more desirable, and after consulting H. H. Hohenschild, an architect of Rolla, Missouri, it was found that such a building could be completed for about \$50,000. The Committee found further that the appropriation of \$75,000 which had been made to repair the old Capitol Building was insufficient and that the walls of the old building were not safe. Bids were advertised for and a contract finally made with the Pollegren Construction Co., of St. Louis, to erect the present temporary capitol building for \$51,322.91, thus saving to the taxpayers of the state the difference between this amount and the \$75,000 which had been appropriated to repair the old building. Not only this amount was saved to the tax payers of the state by the committee of which Senator Buford was chairman, but it is estimated that it will at least be nine years before the new State Capitol will be completed. Had the said committee rented buildings in Jefferson City for the use of the legislature the rental alone, as stated above, would have cost the state, in the nine years, the sum of \$91,000, and

by reason of said Committee causing the temporary capitol to be built and providing room in same for the four principal state officers who have heretofore been quartered in the old Supreme Court Building and enabling the minor state officers as above mentioned to move out of the quarters which they had been renting heretofore at a cost of \$3,000 per year to the State, they saved to the tax payers in the nine years in which the temporary capitol will be in use the sum of \$27,000 and making a total saving of \$108,000.

These are some of the services Senator Buford has rendered to the State, and it is but right to acknowledge them. We are all quick in adverse criticism; why not be just as ready to give credit for the good that men do? In this instance the REGISTER joins justice with pleasure.

A most remarkable case is that of Foulke E. Brandt, a Swedish lad of 20, formerly valet to Mortimer L. Schiff, a rich young man of New York city. Brandt six years ago had been convicted—upon alleged confession—of having burglarized his master's house—and was sentenced to THIRTY YEARS' imprisonment. It was his first offense, bear in mind, and the drastic prosecution that secured his conviction and sentence kept him in prison for six years. But last week Gov. Sulzer pardoned him—a righteous action which would have been still more in accordance with even and exact justice if the Governor had attached no conditions to it. The prohibitions attending the pardon are:

1. That Brandt will not appear on any stage or write a history or discuss his case in public.
2. That he deny all statements previously made effecting any person and promise never to repeat them.
3. Brandt revoked if conditions are not kept by him.

The story of the "burglary" gathered by the public press and at the trial was as follows:

Brandt, who had worked for Mr. Schiff as valet for less than a year, was on his master's night of March 7, 1907, as Mr. Schiff returned to his home in this city late from a visit to his father. The valet, attired in his master's dressing gown, according to Schiff, struck him on the head with a bowling pin. Mr. Schiff switched on the electric light, and to his amazement, found his servant standing over him. What transpired after that has been more or less of a mystery ever since. Both Mr. Schiff and the valet agree, however, that there was a talk, at the conclusion of which the banker escorted his former valet, now discharged, down the stairway from the second floor, where the attack occurred, and to the street door. As Brandt stopped on the threshold, Mr. Schiff slipped a \$50 bill into his hands and asked him to call at his downtown office within three days, to talk over the affair further, and get a large sum of money.

That is indeed an unique as well as very remarkable story? After five years' imprisonment Brandt wrote out his statement of the facts in the case and presented it to Gov. Dix. In this the valet made allusions of a character that, later on, caused Gov. Dix to refuse to make it public. Gov. Sulzer followed the attitude of Gov. Dix as to the Brandt statement. Accompanying Brandt's statement was an appeal for pardon, the valet assuming that, as he had committed no burglary, and had merely been guilty of going into Mr. Schiff's home and in a scuffle striking him, there was no justice in keeping him in a cell for thirty years. Brandt took the position that he had "brushed" Mr. Schiff only when the banker threw on the lights and grabbed him.

And there you are! To me the valet's story has a truer ring, but that doesn't matter. The thirty years' sentence for a first offense is the salient point in the case. The prosecuting witness had "money to burn" and had influence because of it; the defendant was a foreigner, friendless and alone. We are told that in this happy land the rich and the poor stand in equality before the law. I begin to seriously doubt it.

Strayed—From the pasture on Shepherd Mountain, in April last, a two-year-old dark red steer, natural muley, no marks. Liberal reward will be paid for information leading to the recovery of the animal. Address F. O. Coddling, Ironton Mo.

Bellevue News.

It is reported that a few of the young people of this locality are preparing to give an entertainment in the near future.

Quite a number of people from Graniteville attended the funeral of Miss Jessie Moyer last week.

Married—At the home of the bride's father, January 19, 1913, Miss Roberta French to Mr. Russell Queen, Rev. B. W. Bynum officiating. We wish the young couple a long life, replete with happiness.

Mrs. E. E. Chambers and daughter, Marie, visited Mrs. Patterson Wednesday.

Wm. King has purchased a new engine and saw-mill outfit, and will use it for sawing logs.

R. E. Johnston has removed his saw-mill to the timber, three miles south of town. It is said that he is running the mill pretty regularly. The lumber is hauled to Iron Mountain and is shipped to St. Louis.

We are pleased to note that O. J. Buford, who for some time past has been very much indisposed at his home in Albuquerque, New Mexico, is very much better. The trouble, we understand with Mr. Buford, has been only a very complicated case of nervous trouble, and not tuberculosis.

Will Stevens, who sometime ago sold his farm north of town, has leased the Kerchner farm, near Elm Grove, and will remove his family there.

Wm. Keathley has returned home, after spending a few days with his parents in Des Arc.

Mrs. Ed. Townsend and sister, Miss Anna Hughes, spent a few days last week in Bismarck, visiting their sister, who is very sick.

Mr. Elliot, of Ironton, was in the valley Saturday.

Miss Alma Keathley, of Des Arc, spent last week here, visiting her brother.

Rev. Calvert and wife, of Ironton, attended the funeral of Mr. Hodges, January 19.

J. H. Long and wife were in Iron Mountain Monday.

Lawrence Townsend last Friday afternoon visited the school at Thorn Grove.

Henry Hughes last week sold his farm (the Judge Buford farm) to his son, Harry, who recently received several thousand dollars for injuries sustained in a railroad wreck last September.

Chas. Landie contemplates making a trip to St. Louis in the near future to have his eyes treated.

Mrs. J. H. Long visited friends in Arcadia last week.

H. Latham recently purchased a mare and a colt.

James Edmonds and family last Thursday visited his father, Chas. Edmonds.

E. Chambers made a business trip to Ironton Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. Chambers, of St. Louis, who has been visiting her brother here for several weeks, left last week for Arkansas, where she will spend a short time visiting her sister.

Lem Logan is running the mill pretty regularly these days.

Wm. Kness is building a house on his farm.

Judging from the vast quantity of mail which passes through the office here, the parcel post law is being pretty well observed. This law, while it may benefit a few people in the rural parts of our country, is of much more benefit to the city mail-order houses than it is to any other class of people. I, for one, am not a very strong believer in the mail-order business, and I have yet to be shown where anyone ever gained anything by sending his money away from home to purchase goods from the mail-order houses. I am by them like I am by the Normals; if they cannot complete with the "real thing," let them get out of business.

Strayed—From the Tom Marr farm on Marble Creek, last summer, one red yearling steer. Branded "O" on right hip and marked with hole in each year. Liberal reward will be paid for recovery. F. R. Lucke, Arcadia, Mo.

Cleanliness.

Many diseases cause infection of the sputum or spit. When this infected sputum is deposited where it may evaporate, dry, and turn to dust, the little particles of dust contain the germs of the disease in question. This dust is carried about from place to place in the house by currents of air and may serve to infect those who breathe it. The diseases spread through the sputum are tuberculosis, measles, mumps, scarlet fever, diphtheria, cerebro-meningitis, infantile paralysis, influenza, tonsillitis, and others.

When speaking of cleanliness, it should be understood that this germ-laden dust is the dirt that is to be dreaded. Cleanliness, then, means care in the guarding of bacteria and in preventing the spread of bacteria by excreta. The ordinary dirt such as the soil, ashes, etc., which is brought into the house on the feet or is blown in, is practically harmless.

For Sale—Team of small mules, wagon and harness. Will exchange for good milk cow. Rosselot's, one mile south of Arcadia.

ORDER OF PUBLICATION.

Silgo Furnace Company, a Corporation, Plaintiff,

against
Mordica M. Kiger, Henry Winchester, R. J. Mendenhall, the unknown heirs, devisees and assigns of Mordica M. Kiger, deceased; the unknown heirs, devisees and assigns of Henry Winchester, deceased; the unknown heirs, devisees and assigns of R. J. Mendenhall, deceased; Defendants.

The State of Missouri, to the Defendants aforesaid, greeting:
You are hereby notified that an action has been commenced against you in the Circuit Court of Iron County, Missouri, the purpose of which is to try, ascertain and define the right, title and interest of the Plaintiff and Defendants in and to the Southwest Quarter of Section Thirty-six (36), and the Southeast Quarter of Section 35—all in Township Thirty-five (35) North, of Range One (1) West, in Iron County, Missouri.
And if the Court shall find that the Plaintiff is the owner of said lands, to preclude and bar all persons from thereafter setting up any title or claim to said property, which said action is returnable on the first day of the next term of said Court, to be held at the Courthouse in the City of Ironton, in Iron County, Missouri, on Monday, the 25th day of April, 1913, when and where you may appear and defend said title in said action; otherwise Plaintiff's petition will be taken as confessed and judgment rendered accordingly.
You are further notified that the petition is filed by the affidavit of Plaintiff's Agent and Attorney at Law, JESSE M. HAWKINS, Clerk of the Circuit Court in and for said County, hereby certifying that the above is a true copy of the original Order of Publication in the cause therein named, as the same appears of record in my office.

Agent and Attorney at Law, and alleges that you, and each of you, are non-residents of the State of Missouri, and that there are persons who claim to be interested in the subject matter of said petition whose names it cannot insert therein because they are unknown to it; that each of said unknown persons claims to have derived some title or claim to said lands as heir, devisee, assign, legatee or grantee of a person or persons named therein; and that it has therein described the claims and interests of said unknown parties, and how said claims and interests were derived, so far as known to it.

JESSE M. HAWKINS, Clerk of the Circuit Court in and for said County, hereby certifies that the above is a true copy of the original Order of Publication in the cause therein named, as the same appears of record in my office.

Witness my hand as Clerk, and the seal (SEAL) of said Court.
Done at office in Ironton, Missouri, this 25th day of January, 1913.
JESSE M. HAWKINS, Clerk.
EDGAR & EDGAR, Attys for Plaintiff.

ORDER OF PUBLICATION.
Silgo Furnace Company, a Corporation, Plaintiff,

against
Samuel C. Hogue, Anthony Boessler, Anthony Roessler, John J. Anderson, Fred Delgado, Charles C. Coker, Richard Remey, John Alexander, Charles E. Henderson, Real Estate Loan and Trust Company, Henry Winchester, William Hale, William Chapman, Alfred Palmer, James Brewer; the unknown heirs, devisees and assigns of Samuel C. Hogue, deceased; the unknown heirs, devisees and assigns of Anthony Boessler, deceased; the unknown heirs, devisees and assigns of Anthony Roessler, deceased; the unknown heirs, devisees and assigns of John J. Anderson, deceased; the unknown heirs, devisees and assigns of Fred Delgado, deceased; the unknown heirs, devisees and assigns of Charles C. Coker, deceased; the unknown heirs, devisees and assigns of Richard Remey, deceased; the unknown heirs, devisees and assigns of John Alexander, deceased; the unknown heirs, devisees and assigns of William Hale, deceased; the unknown heirs, devisees and assigns of William Chapman, deceased; the unknown heirs, devisees and assigns of Alfred Palmer, deceased; the unknown heirs, devisees and assigns of James Brewer, deceased; the unknown heirs, devisees and assigns of Walter Croxon, deceased; Defendants.
The State of Missouri, to the defendants aforesaid, greeting:
You are hereby notified that an action has been commenced against you in the Circuit Court of Iron County, Missouri, the purpose of which is to try, ascertain, and define the right, title and interest of the Plaintiff and Defendants in and to:

The South one-half of the Northeast quarter and the North one-half of the Southeast quarter of Section Fourteen (14); the South one-half of the Northeast quarter of the Northeast quarter of Section Twenty-three (23); the East one-half of the Northwest quarter, the West one-half of the Southeast quarter of the Northeast quarter, the North one-half and the Southeast quarter of the Southeast quarter of Section Twenty-four (24); the West one-half of the Northeast quarter of Section Eight (8); the Northeast quarter and the East one-half of the Southeast quarter of Section Thirteen (13); the Northwest quarter of the Northeast quarter and the Northeast quarter of the Northwest quarter of Section Twelve (12); the South one-half of the Northeast quarter, the South one-half of the Northwest quarter, the North one-half of the Southeast quarter, the North one-half of the Southwest quarter and the North one-half of the Southeast quarter of Section Twenty-eight (28); Lot Three (3) of the Northeast quarter of Section Five (5); the North one-half of the Southwest quarter of Section Twenty-seven (27); Lots One (1) and Two (2) of the Northwest quarter, and the Northeast quarter of Section Thirty-one (31) all in Township Thirty-four (34) North of Range One (1) West, in Iron County, Missouri.

And if the Court shall find that the Plaintiff is the owner of said lands, to preclude and bar all persons from thereafter setting up any title or claim to said property, which said action is returnable on the first day of the next term of said Court, to be held at the Courthouse in the City of Ironton, in Iron County, Missouri, on Monday, the 25th day of April, 1913, when and where you may appear and defend said title in said action; otherwise Plaintiff's petition will be taken as confessed and judgment rendered accordingly.

You are further notified that the petition is verified by the affidavit of Plaintiff's Agent and Attorney at Law, and alleges that you, and each of you, are non-residents of the State of Missouri, and that there are persons who claim to be interested in the subject matter of said petition whose names it cannot insert therein because they are unknown to it; that each of said unknown persons claims to have derived some title or claim to said lands as heir, devisee, assign, legatee, or grantee of a person or persons named therein; and that it has therein described the claims and interests of said unknown parties, and how said claims and interests were derived, so far as known to it.

JESSE M. HAWKINS, Clerk of the Circuit Court in and for said County, hereby certifying that the above is a true copy of the original Order of Publication in the cause therein named, as the same appears of record in my office.

Witness my hand as Clerk, and the (SEAL) of said Court in Ironton, Missouri, this 25th day of January, 1913.

JESSE M. HAWKINS, Clerk.
EDGAR & EDGAR, Attys for Plaintiff.

Just received a large car of Wire Fencing, Barb Wire, Staples and Nails. This car was contracted for last fall, before there was any advance in price. We are selling at the former low price, which simply means better fence for less money than you can get elsewhere.

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SHERIFF'S SALE AS TRUSTEE.

Whereas, George Snodgrass, by his certain deed of trust, dated the 27th day of January, 1912, and duly recorded in the office of the Recorder of Deeds to the County of Iron, and State of Missouri, in Book 55, at page 500, did convey to I. M. Swiney, Trustee, the following described real estate and property, situate, lying and being in the County of Iron and State of Missouri, to wit:

All of the northeast quarter of the northeast quarter of section twenty-one, (21), township thirty-two, (32), north, range three (3) east, containing forty (40) acres. Which conveyance was made in trust to secure the payment of one certain promissory note described therein;

And, whereas, default has been made in the payment of said note and interest, now past due and unpaid;

Whereas, it is provided in said deed of trust, that in the case of default, removal from the State, or refusal to act of said I. M. Swiney, as trustee, then acting Sheriff of Iron County, Missouri, shall act as trustee in his stead and sell the foregoing described property in case of default;

Now, therefore, at the request of the legal holder of said note, and in pursuance of the terms of the said deed of trust, I, the undersigned, sheriff and trustee, will, on

Saturday, February 8th, 1913,

at the Courthouse door in the City of Ironton, Iron County, Missouri, between the hours of nine o'clock A. M. and five o'clock P. M. of that day, sell at public vendue, the above described real estate and personal property to the highest bidder for cash, to satisfy said note and the costs and expenses of this trust.

WM. M. BLUE, Sheriff and Trustee.

Ironton, Mo., January 14th, 1913.

NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, Mrs. Anna Demier, administratrix of the estate of C. E. Demier, deceased, will make Final Settlement of her accounts with said estate as such administratrix at the next term of the Probate Court of Iron County, Missouri, to be held at Ironton, in said county, on the 10th day of February, A. D. 1913.

MRS. ANNA DEMIER, Administratrix.

NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, Edward Funk, Executor of the estate of Gottlieb Funk, deceased, will make final settlement of his accounts with said estate as such Executor at the next term of the Probate Court of Iron County, Missouri, to be held at Ironton, in said county on the 10th day of February, A. D. 1913.

EDWARD FUNK, Executor of the estate of Gottlieb Funk, Deceased.